Arizona Congressional District 6 Communities Benefit From LSTA Funds

Federal funds administered by the Institute of Museum and Library Services provide access to electronic resources and literacy programs for all Arizona citizens. In addition, funds are distributed to community libraries through competitive subgrants. Between 2014 and 2016, CD 6 libraries used LSTA awards to:

- Create a Discovery zone in Scottsdale with themed collections, tablets, and ebooks for hundreds of young children to explore.
- Encourage tribal language preservation and improve digital skills by teaching elders and children to use GIS software.
- Develop a digital media lab to help job seekers and entrepreneurs create their online and print materials.

The response to the digital media lab and the classes has been tremendous. Participants gave nearly perfect scores for instructor knowledge, quality of material, value of material and overall satisfaction.

-- Katie O'Connor, Scottsdale Public Library Eureka Loft



Maps and Geospatial Technology Education to Help Preserve Tribal Language – Ft McDowell Yavapai Nation Library







2014-2016 IMLS LSTA Competitive Subgrants to Arizona Libraries in Congressional District 6

Year	Project Name	Library Name	City	Amount Awarded
2014	Cinematic Reflections on the Cold War	DESERT FOOTHILLS LIBRARY	Cave Creek	12700
2014	Maps and Geospatial Technology Education to Help Preserve Tribal Language	FT. MCDOWELL YAVAPAI NATION LIBRARY	Ft. McDowell	7000
2014	Discovery Zone	SCOTTSDALE PUBLIC LIBRARY	Scottsdale	25900
2014	Digital Media Center	SCOTTSDALE PUBLIC LIBRARY	Scottsdale	30916
2015	Measuring for Success	SCOTTSDALE PUBLIC LIBRARY	Scottsdale	67486
2016	Senior Makers at SPL	SCOTTSDALE PUBLIC LIBRARY	Scottsdale	23560
2016	Cultivating Knowing and Growing: An Extension of Measuring for Success	SCOTTSDALE PUBLIC LIBRARY	Scottsdale	154650
	TOTAL			322212